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Giving the breath of life and reality to all the pathos and humor of this masterly play

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This Grand Production This Carefully Selected Company This Clever Mingling of Heart Throbs and Comedy Hits.

Prices: 35, 50, 75 and \$1.00. Seats now selling.

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The match will be straight catch-as-catch-can. Best two out of three falls to a finish.

Good preliminaries start at 8:15.

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FRIDAY EVENING FEB. 5th

The Never Failing Delight

W. E. NANKEVILLE'S

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HUMAN HEARTS

A Story From Life Presented in Dramatic Form.

Abounding in Humanity, Bubbling Over With Joyous Comedy.

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Matinee daily except Monday, 2:30; Evenings, 7:45 to 10:30 continuous. Prices: 5 and 10 cents.

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You cannot get another pair of eyes



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Our optical work is well known—you can trust in

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A Hot Water Bottle

is indispensable in every home. Heat is nature's cure for pain and when promptly applied often prevents serious ills.

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DRUGGISTS 422 MAIN



CITY NEWS.

—Read The Daily Gate City.

—Ewer's Grand Leader, best 5c cigar.

—Basket ball, Baptist vs. Burlington

Y. M. C. A. Friday, at Y. M. C. A.

—C. L. Carpenter of Sandusky voted for Lincoln in 1864 while a member of Sherman's army and in 1860 in Iowa.

—A marriage license was issued this morning to Albert C. Gray of Douds-Leando and Miss Maud Elma Wright of Keokuk.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. Wurm, and Mrs. F. Lange, returned to this city after a year's absence in the south, and will reside at No. 1708 Exchange street.

—Robert Anthony of Croton, a member of Company C, Twenty-Fifth Iowa Infantry, voted for Lincoln in 1864 while a member of Sherman's Bummers in Georgia.

—For the consideration of \$1,550 the Denmark academy has deeded to Mary E. O'Hara, the front 46 2/3 feet of lots 5 and 8 in block 134, the property being on the corner of Tenth and Fulton streets.

—From the factory to the home—that's why you can get a better piano, at a lower price, considering merit, of the W. W. Kimball Co. than elsewhere. See their instruments at Duncan-Schells.

—Burlington Gazette: Messrs. Brinkman, Hosier and Krieger, members of the Lee county board of supervisors, were in the city today conferring with the Des Moines county board in regard to the ferry over the skunk river.

—The "Q" will soon begin the laying of 85-pound rails between this city and Burlington. Rails will begin to arrive in a few days when a large force of section men will commence work. The work will consume several months.

—Tom Markin and Paul Jones were arrested this morning at 2:45 o'clock by Officers Fields and Park and locked up on a charge of being drunk and night prowling. Vic Solari was arrested by Officer Cox at 1:40 o'clock this morning on a charge of assault. Minnie Curry of the Hotel Clyde had him arrested and promised to turn up this morning and file an information against him. Besides these, there were four sleepers who applied for a night's lodging.

CITY NEWS.

—Smoke Moeller's Silver Ash cigar

—The fair weather flag was hung out today.

—Melvin Breitenstein, messenger at the Western Union Telegraph office for the past eighteen months has resigned his position.

—You are not experimenting when you buy a "Kimball" piano. Ask about their easy terms. 307 Main, with Duncan-Schell.

—Louis Stevenson, a member of the Seventeenth Iowa, voted for Lincoln in 1860 and 1864 at Keokuk. J. H. Jenkins, a member of Co. C, Forty-fifth Iowa, voted for Lincoln in 1864 in Keokuk.

—The St. Peter's and Keokuk club bowling team will clash this evening at the Keokuk club alleys. Should St. Peter's win, the race will be far more interesting between the three clubs now fighting for supremacy.

—Capt. L. A. Berryhill received a letter this morning from Gen. John W. Noble of St. Louis in which he says: "Don't forget Lincoln's birthday." The colonel was at the head of the Third Iowa cavalry and voted for Lincoln in 1860 and 1864.

—Fred B. Smith, who speaks at the Y. M. C. A. this evening on South Africa, arrived in the city today and was entertained by the local association members. The address this evening will be illustrated by stereopticon views and the public is invited. There will be no admission charged.

—Nauvoo Rustler: Grace Richtman, who is making her home on the steamer Dubuque in the canal at Keokuk, came near meeting death by drowning one day recently. Her father is watchman on the Diamond Jo fleet, and his family reside on the Dubuque while the children go to school in Keokuk. In crossing the lock gate, Grace slipped and fell into the water and was discovered and saved in the nick of time.

—On February 12, 1909, the nation will celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. The day will be widely celebrated—probably in every city, town and hamlet, and in every school house in the rural districts. It will be an occasion of wide-spread interest—a day for the telling of Lincoln reminiscences and Lincoln stories. Keokuk expects to appropriately celebrate the event, and in connection therewith The Gate City will devote considerable of its space on that day. Special prominence will be given to the reminiscences any reader of this paper may have of the great emancipator. Did you know Lincoln? Did you ever see him and under what circumstances? Did you ever live near the Lincoln in Illinois? If in any personal way you came to know of the Lincoln, write your story out briefly and send it to The Gate City.

—A prominent Keokuk doctor handed the following article on anatomy to a Gate City reporter this morning for publication: Proceeding in a southerly direction from the torso, we have the hips, useful for padding, and the legs. The legs hold up the body and are sometimes used in walking, but when riding in automobiles they take up valuable space which otherwise might be employed to better advantage. Attached to the legs are the feet. Some varieties of feet are cold. Some people are born with cold feet, others acquire cold feet, and still others have cold feet thrust upon them. The surface of the body is covered with cuticle, which either hangs in graceful loops or is stretched tightly from bone to bone. On the face it is used extensively for commercial purposes by dermatologists, painters and decorators. Between the cuticle and the bones are the muscles, which hold the bones together and prevent them from falling out and littering up the sidewalk as we walk along. Packed neatly and yet compactly inside the body are the heart, the liver and the lungs; also the gall, which in Americans is abnormally large. These organs are used occasionally by the people who own them, but their real purpose is to furnish surgeons a living.

—Thomas L. Masson in Lippincott's

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has received,

the voluntary testimony of those who have found it the easy way out of coffee aches and ails.

"There's a Reason"

CITY NEWS.

—"Human Hearts" Friday night. Seats on sale to-morrow.

—J. J. Crummins, Jr., manager of the semi-professional baseball team lately organized, has already arranged games for the early season. He has booked two with Keokuk and has the promise of several games from Manager Houg. of the Hannibal team. As yet this independent team has given itself no name.

—"Miss Petticoats" at the Grand tonight.

—The Nauvoo papers speak of one of the citizens of that town crossing the river at that place to Montrose during the blizzard on last Friday to get the mail. This trip is bad enough in just a common ordinary little wind on account of the waves, but in a gale like it was blowing on Friday the voyage seems to be a most hazardous trip.

—Some people do not believe that there is a ground hog, but the following from a Hannibal paper proves it: Willie Neviss and James Horton, two south side boys are sure that the ground hog saw his shadow, for reposing in their collections of this world's riches now rests a ground hog, a real ground hog. The boys are sure that the ground hog saw his shadow as he was just surveying his oblong likeness on the ground when the urchins pounced upon him and killed him with rocks. The animal was found dead in Cave hollow.

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—The Drake board of control of athletics has voted to have Drake withdraw from the Iowa conference. This action was taken with the view that it is impossible to serve well two masters. Drake has for the past year belonged to both the Missouri Valley and to the Iowa conferences. Because of that fact some slight difficulties have arisen, therefore, Drake decided to cut away from the Iowa conference. The action is in no way inimical to the Iowa conference. Iowa university withdrew from the Iowa conference some time ago and it is probable that Ames will do so in the near future. Iowa university will not withdraw from the "Big Eight" according to a dispatch from there.

—Hannibal Post: At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon J. H. Bell, Bert Wiseman, Leon Fitzgerald and John Connors, charged with burglarizing the postoffice at Hasco, were arraigned before United States Commissioner George C. Moore, at his residence on North Sixth street. Mr. Moore was unable to withstand the strain of being removed to his office in the federal building. The men pleaded not guilty and their preliminary was set for February 11. The bonds of Wiseman, Fitzgerald and Connors were fixed at \$2,000, while Bell's bond was fixed at \$1,000 in default of which they were remanded to the custody of Deputy United States Marshal Joseph O'Hern. Bell was placed in the city jail and the others were taken to Palmyra.

—Fort Madison Gem City: At 1:30 this afternoon an accident occurred at the Vine street crossing of the Burlington railroad. E. C. Knuff of Niota was driving his team of horses attached to a wagon over the railroad track when the wagon was struck by the engine of freight train No. 78, south bound. The train was pulling down for water when the accident occurred. The wagon and horses were dragged some distance and Knuff was thrown out escaping with slight injuries. The horses were considerably hurt and the front part of the wagon badly damaged. It was fortunate that the accident did not prove to be more serious. Mr. Knuff was on his way to get a load of coal at the Weber coal yard when he was hit by the engine.

A Washington dispatch says: Washington friends have received announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Alice Belknap Henry, daughter of the late Wm. W. Belknap of Keokuk, Iowa, formerly secretary of war, to Dr. Abram Van Katthoven of Philadelphia. The marriage took place at San Francisco. Mrs. Kaathoven obtained a divorce from her first husband W. B. Arkile Henry in Sioux Falls last November. At that time Dr. Kaathoven and a prominent Philadelphia lawyer were mentioned, but Mrs. Henry declared that she would not marry either of them. Shortly after Mrs. Henry established her residence at Sioux Falls, Dr. Kaathoven who is a member of exclusive social circles in Philadelphia, went to California to make his home. After her divorce Mrs. Henry did not return to Philadelphia and nothing more was heard of her here until the report came of her marriage to Kaathoven.

The Mission

Of those corpuscles in your blood that have been called "Little Soldiers," is to fight for you against the disease germs that constantly endanger your health. These corpuscles are made healthy and strong by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

This medicine is a combination of more than 20 different remedial agents in proportions and by a process known only to ourselves and it has for thirty years been constantly proving its worth. No substitute, none "just-as-good."

CITY NEWS.

—"Miss Petticoats" tonight.

—"Miss Petticoats" company arrived from Quincy this afternoon.

—The advance sale of seats for "Human Hearts" opens tomorrow morning.

The river has risen over a foot in the last few days and the water is slowly creeping up along the sands at the levee.

—Mrs. A. J. Abbingdon of Clarks-ville, Mo., state missionary for the Baptist church, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Del Foster.

—For the consideration of \$500 Mike Welsh has deeded to Newton Woodford, lot 6 in block 60 of Mason's Lower addition, the property being on the corner of B and Oak streets.

—Quincy Herald: Since last Saturday the Mississippi river at this point has receded about three and a half feet. During the past twenty-four hours it fell three inches, making the stage at 7 o'clock this morning exactly 1 foot. It develops that the cause and effect of the sudden change is largely local, due to the big ice gorge just north of the railroad bridge. There is no similar block at Hannibal nor are the gorges north of here so large, according to information received here last night. Under the circumstances, there is bound to be a big and sudden rise in the near future. It may not come for several days, and it may be only a matter of hours. The weather has been warming up since Sunday, and the effect will be to melt the ice block, which is holding back the water and floating ice for miles beyond. When the gorge breaks this ice and water will come down with a rush, and there may be a rise of at least four feet.

Loan and Building Association.

Dues payable Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Fines assessed if paid after 3 o'clock p. m.

J. D. ECKER, Secretary.

SOCIETY

Messrs Roy Wolfe and Walter Bode have issued invitations for a dancing party to be given Tuesday evening, February 9, at Hawkes' Hall. Agne's orchestra will furnish music.

The Swedish Aid society of this city will celebrate their twelfth anniversary on Thursday evening with a supper and entertainment, at Hawkes' hall.

This evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright will occur the marriage of their daughter, Miss Maud Elma Wright to Dr. Albert C. Gray of Douds-Leando. The wedding will be a very quiet affair, only the immediate members of the families being present. The marriage ceremony will be performed by Rev. Jas. F. Sanders at 7 o'clock. After the ceremony a wedding supper will be served the guests.

Miss Wright is a popular young Keokuk lady having been born and reared in this city and receiving her education here. For some time past she has been connected with the business office of Dr. La Force and during the time the medical college was in session here was a stenographer in that institution. Dr. Gray is well known in this city having been an attendant at the Medical college and graduating in this city. The young couple leave tomorrow morning for Douds where they will make their future home. The best wishes of their many friends go with them.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

PETERSON—The funeral services for the late Peter Peterson will be held at Swedish Lutheran church, Twelfth and Morgan streets, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private.

At Half Price Our entire line of ladies' and misses' Cloth Suits and Coats Sullivan & Auwerda

BUSINESS MEN ARE REJOICING The Arrival of K-Line Train No. 12 is No Longer a Matter of Doubt and Keokuk's Mail Will Arrive on Time.

HIGHER POWER ENGINES To be Used by the Rock Island Between Minneapolis and Burlington and Matter Has Been Finally Settled.

Vegetables CALL AT Immeperi's Grocery FOR VEGETABLES, CAULI-FLOWER, LETTUCE, SHALLOTS, CABBAGE AND SWEET POTATOES.

Fresh Dry Batteries. Electric Wiring of all kinds. Gas Burners and Mantles. King Plumbing Co.

A gentleman's gold filled watch, Elgin works, \$10.00

A ladies gold filled watch, Elgin works, \$11.00

team of this city will have as opponents next Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium the crack Burlington team and a stirring contest is looked for.

Thus far during the season the Keokuk team has not met but one defeat and another victory should be added to the already long list.

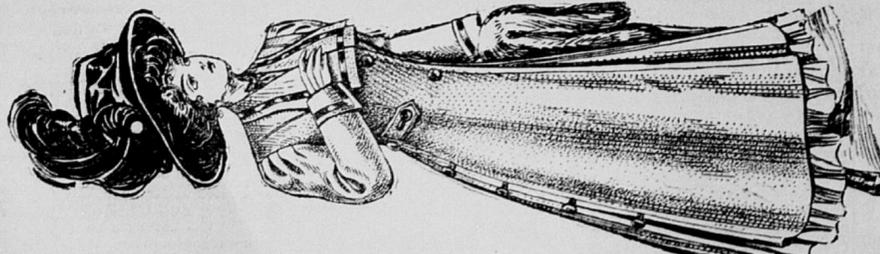
The Burlington team is reported to be fast and the local aggregation is doing all possible to get in the best of condition.

De Yong, Auld, Kichner, Vandendoe and Inman will represent Keokuk in the coming game.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and I recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed. Wilkinson & Co. and J. F. Kleidaisch & Son."

BAPTIST BOYS LOOK TO VICTORY Fast Young Basket Ball Team Will Meet Burlington Friday Evening at Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium.

Everything Ready in the Ladies' Tailoring Department For Spring Now prepared to make anything in spring skirts, waists, suits and dresses to your exact order. (Save money and time. Get in early.)



Only 10 Days More in Which To Buy \$25 Cloaks for a \$10 Bill

Just a few left which must be cleared within the next few days

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Not a Lot of Shopworn Junk Seeing is Believing

Nathan Lowitz

Special Clearance Sales continued on waists at 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98; \$6 silks & nets cleared at \$3.50

Special Clearance Sales continued on children's coats at \$2.98 and \$3.98; practically half price.

Special Clearance Sales on petticoats, \$1.90, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$6.98; reduced fully one-third in price.